

## **Correctional Industrial Facility Donates Garden Vegetables to Anderson Charity**

Pendleton, Indiana - (August 21, 2009) – Correctional Industrial Facility in Pendleton, Indiana has delivered a total of 2,358 pounds of vegetables to the Christian Center in Anderson, Indiana in the last 45 days. Grounds Crew Detail offenders, Therapeutic Community offenders, and Purposeful Living Units Serve (PLUS) offenders perform most of the work in the garden, along with an assortment of facility staff.

Listed below are the specific vegetables and pounds grown and donated to Anderson with the most recent load.

Green Beans:	127 lbs
Cucumber:	94 lbs
Cabbage:	269 lbs
Squash:	94 lbs
Zucchini:	87 lbs
<b>Total:</b>	<b>671 lbs</b>



CIF staff show off the produce.



The garden is located on facility grounds.

Superintendent Tom Hanlon stated, "It is wonderful to have the opportunity to give away what we grow in our garden to neighboring communities. It's another positive for the hard workers here at our facility."

### About the Facility:

The Correctional Industrial Facility, a medium custody level facility, was established in 1985 and presently houses 1460 offenders. The offender's average age is 35 years and average length of incarceration is 8 years. There are approximately 370 employees.

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